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**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Toshihiro SASAYA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2852

Application No.: 10/619,515

Examiner: H. X. Ngo

Filed: July 16, 2003

Docket No.: 104681.03

For: PROJECTION EXPOSURE APPARATUS AND METHOD WITH ADJUSTMENT OF  
ROTATIONALLY ASYMMETRIC OPTICAL CHARACTERISTICS (AS AMENDED)

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Further to the Request for Continued Examination dated March 7, 2005 and  
suspension of prosecution until June 7, 2005, and in reply to the May 31, 2005 Notice of  
Allowance, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**